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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Masahide HOSHINO, et al.

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Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 in the above-identified application.

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☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.	EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING					
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